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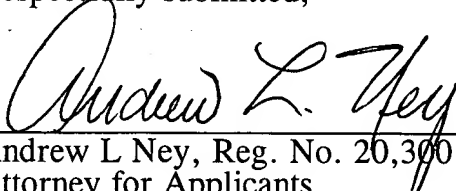
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This is in response to the Election Requirement stated in the Office Letter dated July 7, 2000.

Applicants elect to prosecute Species Group IA (directed to using hologram to generate light having information of the object). Claims 4-7 and 15-18 read on the elected species. This election of species is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

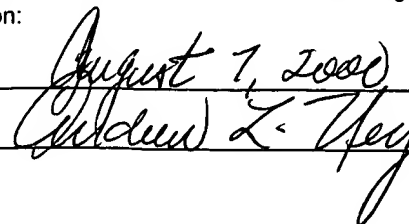

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